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DESpondent 16-YEAR OLD GIRL LEAPS TO HER DEATH IN THE MONONGAHELA

Disappointed at Refusal of Request to Join Carnival Company, Monessen Miss Jumps From Monessen-Charleroi Bridge into River and is Drowned--Body is Recovered an Hour Later

HAD LEFT SUNDAY SCHOOL TO PETITION SHOW MANAGER TO ALLOW HER TO JOIN THE COMPANY

Her requests to join the Hatch Carnival company refused, Sarah Ague, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Ague, of Schoonmaker avenue and Eleventh street, Monessen, leaped from the Monessen-Charleroi bridge into the river, at North Charleroi, Sunday noon, and was drowned. The body was recovered about an hour later by Jack Anderson, Tate Paxton and James Culp of North Charleroi.

Miss Ague went to Sunday school at the First Presbyterian church Monessen, Sunday morning. She left there about 11 o'clock. She told her brother she was going home to get dinner for the family when they returned from church about 12 o'clock. Instead she started for North Charleroi, where the Hatch Carnival company, after a week's engagement at the opposite end of the bridge was loading up preparatory to going to Canonsburg to show.

Arriving at North Charleroi the girl hunted up E. L. Wyatt, the assistant manager and treasurer of the company. She told him she wanted to join the company if she could travel, and presented her petition for a position. She professed herself not to be particular about the kind of duties required of her, but was anxious that she be allowed to join the company. Although well dressed and showing evidence of refinement she was given little satisfaction. Wyatt informed the girl that the carnival was no place for her and advised her to go home. She rather sorrowfully consented to do this, it is stated, and then said she couldn't because she did not have money with which to pay her way back across the bridge. Wyatt gave her five cents and she left.

Not much attention was paid to her but witnesses who saw her from a distance say she went upon the bridge, paid her toll and started at a good pace towards the opposite side of the river. Out directly over the channel of the river she hastily climbed to the railing at the north side of the bridge and jumped off. The fall was over one hundred feet.

No one was near enough to save the girl, even if she had been alive by the time she struck the water, but search for her body was commenced very soon afterward. It was an hour later when it was recovered about 75 feet from the shore, and not far from where she had struck the water.

Deputy Coroner M. T. Crowley was called from Charleroi and took the body to his undertaking rooms, where the grief-stricken father identified it some time later in the afternoon. He said the girl had never been wayward and that to his best knowledge, she had not gone to the carnival at all last week. The family is well known and Mr. Ague is a teacher in the Christian Sunday school. He is a steel worker. While here he made arrangements for having the body removed Sunday evening to the home and later it will be taken to Sharon for interment.

Mr. Wyatt the assistant manager of the carnival made affidavit before Justice of the Peace Scott at North

Charleroi Sunday afternoon to his story of the affair. He said that he had never seen the girl before.

The girl always bore a good reputation at Monessen and her desire to join the carnival, which it is stated amounted to little less than a mania, cannot be accounted for. The Hatch shows wintered in Monessen and it might have been that during that time her mind was fired with stories told of the enjoyment one might have traveling with a carnival, and that she seized her first opportunity to apply for a position.

The carnival company goes to Canonsburg. Coroner James T. Heffran was notified of the affair yesterday afternoon and he may hold an inquest later, at which time Mr. Wyatt of the Carnival company will be called to testify. J. O. Watson of North Charleroi was a witness, it is stated, to the conversation which occurred between the girl and Mr. Wyatt. A number of other Charleroi people will likely be called to testify as to the exact manner in which she is supposed to have committed suicide.

Lectures on "Tuberculosis"

Dr. J. W. Hunter Gives Talk at St. James A. M. E. Church

A very interesting and helpful discourse was delivered by Dr. J. W. Hunter in the St. James A. M. E. church, Washington avenue, last evening which was very much appreciated by all present upon the subject of "Tuberculosis; its origin, preventive and how it may be successfully treated and cured in its first stages." Dr. Hunter dwelt upon the necessity of appropriation of means to build suitable Sanitariums for all tuberculosis patients. Fresh air and sunshine, two of the greatest blessings of God, was recommended to all as a preventive of this scourge.

Jesse McCarthy of Homestead, visited friends in Charleroi yesterday.

Miss Katherine Bolin of Pittsburg has been visiting at the home of A. H. Chandler of Crest avenue.

A. H. Chandler has received a span of handsome carriage and saddle horses. They were purchased in St. Louis and shipped by rail from that city.

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CHILD DIES FROM BRONCHIAL TROUBLE

Little Daughter of Prof. J. G. Pentz Expires After Extended Illness

Winifred Clare Pentz, the year-old daughter of Supt. and Mrs. James G. Pentz died Saturday evening at 5:30 o'clock at the home of her parents, on Meadow avenue, after a two week's illness of pneumonia and complications. Funeral services were held at the home last evening at 6:30 conducted by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church and the body was taken to Reynoldsville today for interment. The little girl was the youngest child of Prof. and Mrs. Pentz. Numerous and beautiful floral emblems were sent by the Sunday school and Ladies Aid society of the church and by pupils of the schools.

LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. H. E. Dawson and son Keith, of Beallsville are guests of her parents on Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. C. R. Trew after an extended visit among relatives and friends in the Beallsville vicinity has returned home.

Mrs. L. S. Jack is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Nathan Greenberg spent Sunday in Pittsburg. William V. Hurley has come from Trenton, N. J., and will remain here for some time.

Mrs. Anna Shepler, of Pittsburg, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Whitlach, of Fallowfield avenue, for several days, returned home today.

Leo A. Shery has resigned his position as foreman of the Mail Publishing Company composing rooms, and left for Pittsburg to accept a position. He is succeeded by Wm. V. Hetrick, of Altoona.

Mrs. S. R. Hawkins, of Washington avenue has been in Appola for a visit with friends.

H. M. Smith has returned from a week's vacation at Dunkard, Greene county.

Reason For His Disgrace.

"He's disgusted with the way the politicians are running things in this town."

"Is that so?"

"Yes; he ran for office and was defeated."—Detroit Free Press.

Nibbles the Wood.

"I'm tired of this old joke about a woman sharpening a pencil with her husband's razor."

"There's nothing in it. No woman sharpens a pencil. She gnaws it to a point."—Pittsburg Post.

Too Near.

"What animal," said the teacher of the class in natural history, "makes the nearest approach to man?"

"The flea," timidly ventured the little boy with the curly hair.—Chicago Tribune.

Not His Fault.

Madame—What do you mean by coming home at 3 in the morning? Monsieur—I ash-shure you, m'dear, iss not my fault. The cafe has only juss shut up.—Illustrated Bits.

To commonplace people the extraordinary seems impossible.—De Retz.

Theatre is Union.

William Ingram, machine operator at the Coyle, passed the examination given by the International Theatrical Stage Employee's association, at Pittsburg with a grade of 87 1-2 per cent and by so doing has become a member of the association. He secured a slide which is to be run before every performance at the theatre where he is employed. This makes the Coyle the only union theatre in this immediate vicinity the association of which Ingram is now a member, being affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. The pictures tonight at the Coyle will be "The Panama Canal in 1911," an Edison picture and "Porcella," a Vitograph. 23241

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WILL GET MAN FOR REVIVAL

Adult Federated Classes Discuss Proposed Religious Campaign

MOVEMENT TO GET SUNDAY

At the regular monthly meeting of the Adult Federated classes in the First Presbyterian church, Sunday afternoon the devotional committee was instructed to confer with the Charleroi Ministerial Association shortly in regard to union evangelistic services which it is proposed to hold this fall. It has been suggested at a previous meeting that an effort be made jointly with Monessen people to secure Rev. "Billy" Sunday, but it was stated he could not be had for this fall. He is the choice of the Adult classes if it can be arranged to get him here.

It was reported that nothing had been heard from the petition sent to the Postoffice department to close the postoffice on Sundays. A new committee was named, one on finance consisting of T. F. Lindsay, Fred Clerihue and A. Manandise. A report of the enrollment was made showing that now there are about 400 male members of adult classes in this district. Rev. O. M. Wilson who lectured last night at the First Christian church, and Rev. F. A. Richards of the Methodist church gave talks.

TALKS ON "THE BIG SWINDLE"

O. M. Wilson Makes Stirring Talk at Christian Church

THE VALUE OF THE SOUL

Choosing as his subject, "The Big Swindle," O. M. Wilson, Esq., of Pittsburg, under the auspices of the Baracca class gave an interesting religious lecture Sunday night at the First Christian church last night. Showing oneself as the swindler, and his soul as the thing swindled, Mr. Wilson proved the value of a soul.

With apt illustrations and enjoyable stories, Mr. Wilson told how men deceive themselves in regard to their own souls. He said that if a man lost \$30,000 he would become frantic, searching to recover the lost wealth, but if he lost 30 cents he would merely give the matter a passing thought and then forget it. This, he said was the way of men, representing his soul as 30 cents, as an invaluable acquisition, instead of the most valuable thing to be looked after. The talk was most instructive and one of the most powerful addresses ever made from a local pulpit.

A good musical program was rendered, preceding Mr. Wilson's address, consisting of congregational songs, songs by the choir, a male choir and the Boy's Brigade choir.

Hurt in Fall.

When the banister against which he was leaning on his porch broke last night, Henry Lausberg, of 206 Lookout avenue fell a distance of about 12 feet and sustained severe injuries to his head. He received medical attention, and it is thought he will be out in a few days.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McDermott, of Clarksburg, W. Va., Sunday, May 6, a daughter.

If you like coffee try "Revere." City Grocery. 23241

HOSPITAL WILL BE THING OF PAST WITHIN FEW DAYS

Local Team Wins Honors

Track Team From Charleroi High School Participates in Pittsburg Meet

In the school field meet held by Carnegie Technical school at Pittsburg Saturday, Charleroi High School track team scored one point. This was in the pole vault. Lloyd Carson got third place with a record of 9 feet four inches. Others from Charleroi who participated in the meet and showed up well were Austin Stahlman, Henry Primas, Carl McGuire, Paul Nutt and Lloyd Carson.

CLIFFORD RULONG DIES FROM CROUP

Clifford Rulong aged 4 years, eight months and 16 days, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rulong, of 937 Crest avenue, died Sunday morning at 8:15 o'clock of spasmodic croup, from which he had been suffering for some time. The funeral services will be held at the home this evening at 7 o'clock and the body will be taken to Moundville, W. Va., Tuesday for interment in the Moundville cemetery. The parents and three brothers survive.

His Blunt Critic.

Irving Bacheller was introduced one day by a mutual friend to a western mountaineer.

"Mr. Bacheller," exclaimed the friend to the mountaineer, "is an author of repute in the east."

"Oh, yes," drawled the mountaineer. "I know of him. I was locked up in my cabin here by the snow two winters ago, and I only had two books to read the whole five months, your book, sir," he said, turning to Mr. Bacheller, "and the Bible, and I read them through several times."

"Indeed!" said the author, a smile of satisfaction wreathing his face.

"Yes, sir," continued the old mountaineer, "and I never knew before how interesting the Bible was."—St. Paul Dispatch.

Grenada Was Bought Cheap.

The island of Grenada, in the British West Indies, was bought by the French from the Caribs by a solemn treaty in the middle of the seventeenth century, and the price paid was two bottles of rum. Esau's mess of pottage was a good stroke of business by comparison. The Caribs soon regretted having sold their birthright and vainly tried to get the island back by force. It is now one of England's most prosperous colonies in the West Indies.

The Hangman's Stone.

There is a large boulder lying in a field near Foremark, England, which is known throughout Derbyshire as the "hangman's stone." The exposed portion of the boulder rises about six feet above the surface of the surrounding ground.

Miss Anna Pangburn of West Elizabeth, was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Leonard, of Third street.

DANCING SCHOOL

Bank Hall Wednesday night, Class 7:30, Dancing 8:45. The Tuxedo will be Danced Wednesday Night 229-54

Lot and Building at North Charleroi Sold by Sheriff

EQUIPMENT DISPOSED OF

Institution Will be Closed as Soon as the Patients Are Discharged

Within a few days the Monessen-Charleroi General hospital, which has been existing for the past two years, will have become a thing of the past. Saturday the lot and two story frame dwelling owned by the hospital association was sold under the sheriff's hammer, the Charleroi Savings and Trust company as receiver for T. J. Allen, taking over the property. A few weeks ago the equipment of the hospital was sold by a similar method. The hospital during its period of existence has been an institution much patronized, but not supported financially as well as could be desired. The great need of an institution of the kind has been fully demonstrated by the large number of cases treated there, and it is stated there is a likelihood of another hospital association being formed. No more patients will be received and as soon as the present inmates are discharged the hospital will be closed.

Stores Open Nights.

The merchants in town who signed the agreement of the Retail Clerk's Protective Association to close their stores nights except Mondays and Saturdays, received notice from the union that they could keep open nights until further notice. Consequently all will be open hereafter.

Little Disorder On Circus Day

Big Crowd Quiet and Only 15 Arrests Are Made by the Police

Fifteen arrests were made by the police on Saturday, mostly for drunkenness. One fight of minor proportions occurred. Considering the number of people in town the day was particularly quiet. A little disorder occurred last night on the hill when fist-fights, it is stated, followed a drinking bout among foreigners. A hearing will be held tonight.

In a postcard to his cousin, Peter Decker of Fallowfield avenue, William Decker, tuba player with Sousa's band now touring the world, sends greetings to Charleroi friends. The card was addressed from Petronia, South Africa. Mr. Decker visited here last summer, during the Pittsburg engagement of the noted band.

The Keystone Male quartet will sing with Doss James tonight at the Coyle Theatre.

Mrs. Frank Jenkins of Braddock is here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Holyfield, of Fallowfield avenue.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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May 8 In American History.
1800—Robert Morris, "Signer" for Pennsylvania and patriot financier, died; born in England 1734.
1902—Volcanic disasters in the islands of Martinique and St. Vincent. The eruption of Mont Pelee destroyed 30,000 lives at St. Pierre.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 6:59, rises 4:45; moon sets 2:22 a. m.

For County Commissioner
JOHN J. CAIRNS,
ROSCOE, PA.
Primaries, Saturday, June 3, 1911.

For Register of Wills,
FRANK B. WICKERHAM
MONONGAHELA, PA.
Primaries June, 1911

WHAT WAS THE CAUSE?
The suicide of the young Monessen girl who presumably committed the rash deed because she could not get an engagement with a traveling carnival company, is one of the inexplicable cases that arise to perplex society. From all accounts the girl had a good home, and was well cared for by loving parents. Yet, in the face of all this she seems to have been willing to sacrifice all for the excitement of travel under conditions which few persons experienced in the ways of the world would care to assume. Failing to accomplish her desires she commits suicide, and thus inflicts a lasting sorrow upon her parents who have given her naught but tender care and attention and were no doubt willing to make all possible sacrifices to contribute to her happiness and welfare.

Perhaps there is not enough attention given by parents to the recreation and amusement of their children, particularly the daughters. In their efforts to protect their children from the snares and evil ways of society, many parents rigidly debar amusement which under rational conditions are innocent and harmless, and which powerfully appeal to a young girl. Dancing is one of these amusements, which under some conditions is the most baneful, while rationally conducted is most innocent and pleasurable. The path of duty is oft-times so rigid and humdrum that it becomes well nigh unendurable. This, as well as lack of opportunity among young girls of the poorer classes for rational enjoyment is what prompts many of them to yield to the lure of the strange and disastrous endings.

In this individual case the circumstances which led to this melancholy event are unknown, and none of these causes may have applied. The incident, however should make a profound impression upon all parents who should make every possible effort to learn the moods and temperaments of their children as they approach the age of adolescence. This is the critical age and the display of proper wisdom and care at this time is most important.

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ELECTRIC SPARKS

There is no man so deaf as the one to whom is being addressed a few kind words on peace.

"Billy" Sunday is more to be desired than President in many places

There are more come-backs in baseball than there are in the ring.

Wasn't there a fellow named Jim Jelleries who figured in an affair at Reno, about a year ago?

Apparently Jack Johnson is more chased than chastened after being let out of jail.

Dogs are not much to blame if they do fall from grace occasionally, with muzzles tied around their noses, to make things hideous.

Feeney as the floor labor leader of the House sounds nice to his Charleroi friends.

If the wife of a well known capitalist has the nose bleed the fact is duly heralded over the land. It's supposed to be an unusual event.

One of the comforts of home is that there a man can yawn with perfect comfort and abandon.

A shot gun is not a safety weapon but it doesn't cause as many deaths among human beings as the revolver.

Some baseball players display greater ability in posing for their pictures than they do playing ball.

President Taft has a knack of putting down ugly rumors. President Roosevelt had a knack of getting them started.

People must admit that its no cinch being a United States Senator.

What a chance Shakespeare would have to dilate on public matters if he lived today.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Littered with paper, empty cracker-jack boxes, dodgers and all sorts of debris, Charleroi yesterday presented a typical appearance of "the morning after the night before." Forepaugh & Sells Bros. circus came and departed on schedule time, bringing with it the customary crowds and thrills of pleasure and excitement. The circus ground presented the same appearance as the streets and today the street commissioners and Church League baseball committee are having the streets and grounds restored to their normal conditions.

Although there are many detractors of the circus, both from a moral and economic standpoint, the institution is an immensely popular one with the public. The moral objections, which used to be well founded, because of the rough crowd of employees that the circus usually employed, as well as the gang of crooks and sharpers that traveled with the show and received the quasi support of the management has been in the main overcome by the big shows which find it to their advantage as a business proposition to present a clean show and to maintain rigid discipline among its employees. No crooks or gamblers are permitted to operate in connection with any of the shows. The circus here Saturday employs a police force of its own, and on several occasions assisted the local officers in arresting some of their employees who became drunk and disorderly. Good order was maintained about the grounds and there were no complaints of discourtesy on the part of the circus employees to patrons.

In a business way the economic objection in some quarters has weight. The circus certainly does carry a big lot of money out of the community, but on the other hand it disburses and leaves a lot along its trail. Its immense army of employees, stock and animals have to be fed and maintained along the route, and as the most of the provisions consumed are perishable, they have to be contracted for and purchased in each town in which the show exhibits. This requires the outlay of an immense sum of money, which goes to the hay and feed dealers, the milkmen, the bakers, the butchers and a dozen other concerns. It is stated by managers that every big show spends more in the town proper than it takes out. The show makes its money from the outside crowd that comes into town.

As a matter of fact a circus crowd is not a good buying crowd for staples, nevertheless the outsiders leave a big bunch of their money in town on show day. The circus people do not get it all. The hotels, the restaurants, the ice cream establishments, and the lunch and refresh-

ment stands get a good haul. This adds to the aggregate and helps to even up the deficiency in buying in the regular channels of trade. More money is really taken out of every populous community each season by the vacation habit than a circus takes away. The working man who spends from three to five dollars taking his family to the circus is nothing compared to the citizen who spends from one hundred dollars and upwards in a trip to Atlantic City or elsewhere on his vacation. This annual expenditure usually involves a long period of saving before hand and an equal period of retrenchment afterward. The circus day retrenchment is at the most until the next pay day, while the economy of the vacation trip usually covers half or three-quarters of the year.

Resolutions.

Whereas, The Great and Supreme Ruler of the Universe has in His infinite wisdom removed from among us our worthy and esteemed brother, Jos. Bura; and

Whereas, The long and intimate relations held with him in the faithful discharge of his duties in this society makes it eminently befitting that we record our appreciation of him, therefore,

Resolved, That the sudden removal of such a life from our midst leaves a vacancy and a shadow that will be deeply realized by the members and friends of this organization.

Resolved, That the wisdom and ability which he has exercised in the aid of our organization by service, contribution and council will be held in grateful remembrance.

Resolved, That with sympathy for the bereaved relatives of the deceased we express our hope that even so great a loss to us all may be overruled for good by Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the record of this organization and published in the local papers and a copy forwarded to the bereaved family and the charter be draped in mourning for a period of thirty days.

L. O. O. M., No. 103,
Charleroi, Pa.

THE CAMERA OBSCURA.

From It Was Evolved Our Modern Photographic Apparatus.

The camera was invented by an Italian named Baptista Porta, though it was not at first used for photographing. It was in reality merely a dark room, into which the light was admitted through a little round hole in one side. The rays of light coming from objects outside of this room entered it through this aperture and made a picture on the other side of the room glowing in all the beauty and color of nature itself, but rather indistinct and upside down.

This dark room was contrived by Porta about the middle of the sixteenth century. He improved it later by placing a glass lens in the aperture and outside a mirror which reflected the rays of light and reflected them through the lens so that the image upon the opposite wall within was made much brighter, more distinct and in a natural or erect position. This was really the first camera obscura, an invention which is enjoyed to the present day.

Now our modern photographic camera is merely a small camera obscura in its simplest form, carrying a lens at one end and a ground glass screen at the other. It is, however, often much more complicated in its construction.

For Peace Only.

It is well known that the Friends have always been devoted to the principles of peace. As they had a controlling influence in the public affairs of Nantucket, there was no military organization on that island for several generations. How the matter was managed is told by the author of "September Days on Nantucket."

Whenever military companies came to the island for a holiday young women thronged the windows and waved handkerchiefs, but there was no rise of military ambition in the town. Once a coterie of young men formed a training company and sent to Boston for equipments, but their elders compelled them to make the first article of their constitution read, "This company shall be disbanded immediately in case of war."

Running to Catch a Train

When you are in a hurry to catch a train you have not got time to sit in a restaurant and wait half an hour for a little lunch. Still you dislike boarding a train on an empty stomach. People here in Charleroi did not have such a place before and now they learn that they can get a meal on the fly by stopping at the Busy Bee Restaurant any hour day or night. It only takes a pair of minutes to get what you order at the Busy Bee Restaurant and the prices are very low. Specials every day. You are well come. Come in. 22846

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Charleroi Church League

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Episcopal	1	0	1000
Lutheran	1	0	1000
First Pres	1	0	1000
W. A. Pres	0	0	000
Baptists	0	0	000
Methodists	0	1	000
Catholics	0	1	000
Christians	0	1	000

Games Next Week

Tuesday	Christians vs. First Presbyterians
Wednesday	Baptists vs. W. A. Pres.
Thursday	Baptists vs. Episcopal
Friday	Methodists vs. Catholics

THE CYCLOPEAN EYE.

It Exists Today In Rudimentary Form In Man's Brain.

The Greeks were, unwittingly, very near an anatomical truth when they ascribed to certain monsters called cyclops only one eye piece, which was placed in the center of their foreheads.

The cyclopean eye exists today in the brains of men in a rudimentary form, for in the pineal gland we find the last vestiges of that which was once a third eye and which looked out into the world, if not from the center of the forehead, at least from very near that point. There is alive today a little creature which would put to shame the one eyed arrogance and pride of Polyphemus and Argos and Brontes and Steropes and all the rest of the single eyed gentry who, in the days of myths and myth makers, inhabited the "fair Sicilian isle."

The animal in question is a small lizard called Calotis. Its well developed third eye is situated in the top of its head and can be easily seen through the modified and transparent scale which serves it as a cornea. Many other lacertilians have this third eye, though it is not so highly organized as it is in the species just mentioned.

A tree lizard which is to be found in the mountains of east Tennessee and Kentucky has its third eye well developed. This little animal is called the "singing scorpion" by the mountaineers. On dissection the third eye will be found lying beneath the skin. It has a lens, retina and optic nerve.—New York Herald.

THE MIRROR TONIC.

When a Peek into a Hand Glass May Help a Patient.

The looking glass, whether a plus or minus quantity, plays a more important part in the sickroom than most nurses and physicians give it credit for.

"All things considered, I think it a good plan to give a sick person a chance to look at himself occasionally," said a prominent doctor recently. "Of course the indulgence must be granted with discretion. If a patient is really looking seedy a turn at the looking glass is equivalent to signing his death warrant, but if taken at a time when braced up by some stimulant or a natural ebullition of vital force a few minutes of communion with his own visage beats any tonic I can prescribe. It thrills the patient with new hope. It makes him feel that he isn't quite so far gone as he has thought and that possibly a fight for life is, after all, worth while. Being thus sensitive, a persistent withholding of a mirror convinces the patient that he must be too horrible for contemplation, and he promptly decides that the best thing for him to do is to give up the ghost and get out of the way."

"That is one of the mistakes hospitals were apt to make up to a few years ago. When I was a young fellow getting my first practice after graduation I served on the staff of several hospitals, and in all, especially in the free wards, those aids to vanity were strictly forbidden."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

With a Grain of Salt.

The earliest record of the saying "with a grain of salt" dates back to the year 63 B. C., when the great Pompey entered the palace of Mithridates and discovered among his private papers the description of an antidote against poisons of all sorts, which was composed of pounded herbs. These, according to the recipe, were to be taken with a grain of salt. Whether this was meant seriously or as a warning sarcasm is not known, but thenceforth it became the custom to say that doubtful preparations should be taken with a grain of salt. From this the meaning got transferred to sayings of doubtful truth. "Attie salt" was a Greek synonym for wit or penetration, and the Latin word "sal" had somewhat of the same meaning. It is thus easy to see how the saying "cum grano salis" could have come to mean the necessity of accepting doubtful or suspicious statements "with a grain of salt."

A Premium on Marriage.

In Belgium they place a premium on marriage by allowing a married man two votes at an election as against the single man's one. In Madagascar one must be a father or pay for the default. If a man is unmarried or childless at the age of twenty-five he must contribute annually \$3.75 to the support of the state, and each woman who has remained single or is childless at twenty-four is taxed \$1.50 per year.

Woman's World

Kansas Woman Teaches Journalism in College.



MISS SADIE MOSSLER.

Miss Sadie Mossler has been added to the staff of the Kansas Agricultural college at Manhattan as an instructor in the department of industrial journalism. She was formerly society editor of the Lawrence (Kan.) Journal and is the first woman in the United States to teach journalism.

Miss Mossler is first assistant to Charles J. Dillon, formerly of the Kansas City Star, who is head of the recently created department and editor of the Industrialist, a paper for farmers, which is issued by the department.

Miss Mossler is one of the best known newspaper women in Kansas and has been in charge of the Journal when its editor, J. L. Brady, has been attending to his duties as state senator. The journalism school aims to train its students to edit country newspapers and to teach them to write intelligently of farm affairs. Miss Mossler has charge of a class in copy reading and soon is to begin a course of lectures.

"Time and again," says Miss Mossler, "when I was in charge of the Journal I was confronted by the problem that we were not interesting our farmer subscribers. I knew that with a six or eight page paper that was circulating largely among farmers there was no good excuse for such a condition. This department is teaching the students how to write in an interesting manner about the farm and everything that pertains to it, and we hope the result will be that Kansas newspapers ultimately will cover news of interest to farmers as well as they do the news of their own town."

"One of our students, who is giving great promise, is going to have a farm daily, a unique idea, but which should be a success. Above all, we are trying to teach them to write good English."

Hatpin Nuisance.

It remains.
It makes one blush.
What is the matter with some women?
The safety of one's neighbor is sure ly sacred.
One may risk one's own life if one desires to.

But only those of the lower orders would risk hurting others.
Usually it happens that those who thus offend are criminally thoughtless and selfish.

Occasionally a woman whose whole life is devoted to kind and generous acts thus thoughtlessly errs.

Hatpins are easily cut off and sharpened, and they should be the right length. Too long points are as dangerous as they are ugly.

As for these protruding points, which are a criminal menace, they are as ridiculous as would be a trailing petticoat with a skirt of walking length.

Molokai and the Lepers.

The general idea of the leper settlement on the island of Molokai is wrong, says a writer in Harper's Weekly. Instead of the entire island being used for the leper colony the settlement comprises only eight square miles out of a total area of 261 square miles. It occupies a tongue of land on the northern side of Molokai. The north, east and west shores of this spit are washed by the Pacific. A hill on the south side rises precipitous cliffs of from 1,500 to 1,000 feet, which make the isolation seem even more hopeless than the beautiful deep blue waters of the sea over could. The most difficult and dangerous trail, constantly manned by government guards, foils escape, if it were ever contemplated, by the land side.

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Names of Canadian Provinces.

Of course we all know that Nova Scotia is the Latin for New Scotland. The name was given by the Earl of Stirling's Scottish colony. New Brunswick was so named in 1784 after the family of the reigning sovereign of Great Britain, the house of Brunswick. Prince Edward Island was named after Edward, duke of Kent. Quebec is from Kebece, a narrow-ling. This is an Indian word and was given to the site of the first French settlement because the St. Lawrence river narrows there. The province took its name from the leading settlement. Ontario is from the Indian Onontario, meaning beautiful lake. The province thus gets its name from one of its principal lakes. Manitoba is also of Indian derivation. Manitou-be means the passing of the Great Spirit. Saskatchewan is an Indian word in the Cree dialect meaning swiftly flowing water. Alberta was named after the sixth daughter of Queen Victoria, wife of the Duke of Argyll, Louise Caroline Alberta. British Columbia honors Columbus, the discoverer of America, and also the empire to which it belongs.—Halifax Herald.

Lighting the Candle.

"I'll bet you that I can light this candle," said George to Bobby, "without touching the wick." "Go ahead and prove it," said Bobby shortly.

Since the coin episode he never disputed the possibility of a thing with George.

George lighted the candle and let it burn until the snuff was quite long.

Then he quickly blew it out. A thin thread of smoke rose. To this George quickly applied a lighted match.

Bobby started in amazement, for the flame ran down the smoke and rekindled the candle.

This is a simple experiment. If you try it you will be surprised at the distance from the candle you can hold the light and yet have the experiment succeed. It is a pretty and fantastic trick.

An Egg Race.

On either side of the room six large hard boiled colored eggs are placed in a line at intervals of about a foot. At the far end of each line is a large open basket or a coarsely woven nest. Two leaders are chosen, who, in turn, choose sides. A player from each side is given a large wooden spoon and stands at the near end of his line. At a signal each starts to spoon up the eggs one at a time, carrying them to the nest. A list of the winners on each side is kept, and at the end of the game the side which has the greater number is the winner. Small individual prizes may be given to all the players on the victorious side—for example, tiny nests filled with egg bonbons.

The Bottle Conjurer.

Stated to the company that it was proved some years ago at a theater that to crawl into a quart bottle was an impossibility, but the rapid progress made by the march of intellect in these enlightened times has proved that any person may crawl into a pint bottle as easily as into his bed. Having thus prefaced your intentions, you get a pint bottle and place it in the middle of the room, then go outside the door and, creeping into the room upon all fours, say, "Ladies and gentlemen, this is crawling in to the pint bottle."

Arbor Day.

Grow thou and flourish well. Ever the story tell. Of this glad day. Long may thy branches raise. To heaven our grateful praise. Wait them on sunlight rays. To God away.

"Let music swell the breeze And ring from all the trees On this glad day. Bless thou each star and band O'er all our happy land Teach them thy lover's command, Great God, we pray. Deep in the earth today Safely thy roots we lay. Tree of thy love. Grow thou and flourish long. Ever our grateful song Shall its glad notes prolong To God above."

Good form

Duties of a Parlor Maid.

A parlor maid is expected to take charge of the parlors and dining room and lower halls of a house only. There is apt to be a butler or a waitress in the establishments where a parlor maid is kept, so the duties of waiting on the table do not come within her province.

She is always neatly clad in the morning in a plain light gingham dress, with an apron with shoulder straps, and bib and wears a cap. In the afternoon she wears a black dress with apron, collar, cuffs and cap. After she rises in the morning she dusts the parlors, halls and all the rooms on the lower floor. When she has eaten breakfast she begins the regular work, which is planned a little differently for each household.

On one morning she sweeps the parlor, on another the library, and so on during the week. In the afternoon the maid must be ready to open the front door if the butler is dressing or occupied with some afternoon work. She may bring in afternoon tea, and in a family where there are children she very often gets their supper and waits on them in their own dining room or at their special table.

If there is a governess in the family it is the duty of the parlor maid to see that her meals are properly served. In a small establishment a parlor maid is usually a waitress also. She then has charge of the dining room and parlors and all of the lower part of the house, but does nothing upstairs. She opens the front door and is expected to be always neatly dressed and immaculate, so she has her laundry work done for her and has no heavy, rough work to do. She is not expected to wash windows or clean the sidewalks and front steps.

Dressing by System.

One of the best dressed women in Paris has a rule that she follows in choosing her clothes which has made her wardrobe the success that it is. Perhaps some girl who is planning her spring outfit may profit by her suggestions.

Says the clever Frenchwoman: "I buy only four new gowns a year. I get one in the spring, one in the summer, another in the autumn and the last in the winter. In these gowns, too, I specialize. I let each represent a class. One year I will get a good tailored suit, an evening dress, a fine negligee, perhaps, and so on. Another year I will choose a morning gown, an afternoon frock, a dance dress, and, of course, if necessary, have some remodeling done to last year's wardrobes. In this way I have a good toilet for every occasion."

"Then I spend the rest of my allowance on the smartest and best neckwear, veils, gloves, stockings and other little things that I can afford. These dress et cetera, if they are dainty and smart, count more for effect in the long run than fine dresses without them. If you can't have both get plain or conservative suits and dresses and add chic and vary their monotony with little things. Hats, veils, neck fixings and gloves have a lot to do with the smartness of one's appearance. An expensive suit with the wrong hat doesn't look half so well as a less costly suit with the right hat."

When Husband Comes.

Greet him with a smile when he comes home tired out from his day's work.

Kiss and pet him at other times than when you desire a new dress or more pin money.

Give him more than one hook in the closet and the smallest drawer in the dresser for his very own.

Don't knock his stories just because he has practiced them on you before he springs them on company.

Refrain from hiding his belongings. Leave them in the place where he expects to find them.

Sympathize with him when things have gone wrong all day and he comes home blue.

Don't tell him how becomingly Mrs. B. is gowned when he is striving in every way he knows how to keep his family and his credit good.

If he scrapes cigar ashes on the floor don't act as though he has committed a mortal sin. They keep the moths out of the carpet.

A "Friendly Match."

I speak of a "friendly match," not at all forgetting that dictum of the old Scot to whom his opponent, breaking some trivial rule, said, "I suppose you won't claim that in a friendly match?" "Friendly match" was the reply. "There's no such thing at golf!" —London Telegraph.

Much is done in the name of friendship; so are many.—Exchange.

Music

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Beallville

Mrs. Mahlon Linton is visiting in Pittsburgh.

Miss Lorena Linton was a Bentleyville visitor recently.

I. N. Young was a business caller at Jefferson.

I. H. Young of Clarksville was in town lately.

Miss Cordelia Keys is visiting Mrs. R. M. Odbert.

Mrs. Jacob Hickman visited Washington relatives this week.

The remains of Geo. L. Hill were interred here Saturday.

James McDonough was a business caller at Braznell.

Nickelo Guipisilo was crushed to death at Acme last week.

Joseph Matthews has moved to Monongahela.

L. V. Martindell of Deemston was in town Monday.

R. Edward Knarr has been at Scenery Hill on business.

May 14 will be observed as Mother's Day.

The anniversary of the Epworth League will be observed May 14.

Children's Day will be observed here early in June.

Mrs. J. C. Barnard of Maiden street is ill at her home.

Fred N. Power has moved to Deemston.

L. A. McDonough was at Washington Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Hedge, of Henry, Ill., is a community visitor.

Miss Charlotte Waller is in town a few days.

Mrs. Elizabeth Arnold has returned to Millsboro.

Harve Hill of West Bethlehem, was a business caller recently.

Joseph Barnes was at Bentleyville on business.

Curt Stathers is working for J. A. Barnes.

Anna Craven was a Charleroi caller last week.

Jefferson Davis and His Nerves.

Jefferson Davis shrank from the sight of every form of suffering, even in imagination. When the "Babes in the Wood" was first read to him, a grown man, in time of illness, he would not endure the horror of it. His sympathy with the oppressed was almost abnormal, "so that," says Mrs. Davis, "it was a difficult matter to keep order with children and servants." All this shows that he was nervous, sensitive, which is a terrible handicap to a leader of men. He suffered always from nervous dyspepsia and neuralgia and "came home from his office fasting, a mere mass of throbbing nerves and perfectly exhausted." He was keenly susceptible to the atmosphere about him, especially to the moods of people, "abnormally sensitive to disapproval. Even a child's disapproval discomposed him." And Mrs. Davis admits that this sensitiveness and acute feeling of being misjudged made him reserved and unapproachable. It made him touchy as to his dignity also, and there are stories of his cherishing a grudge for some insignificant or imagined slight and punishing the author of it.—Gamaliel Bradford, Jr., in Atlantic.

Irving and His Money.

John Hare, the English actor, said that one of the failings charged to Irving's account was that of extravagance—that he did not know the value of money. It is quite true he did not know the value of money for himself. He knew its value to the poor and helpless, and to these he gave with a lavish hand. Once, not long before his death, playing a three nights' engagement in an unpretentious midland town, his habit was to drive nightly to the theater (a very short distance from his hotel) in the same dilapidated fly. The fare was a shilling. The conveyance was shabby, the driver old, poor and worn out. At the conclusion of the engagement, on entering his hotel, Irving said to the landlady, "Have you paid the cabman?" "Yes, Sir Henry." "What did you give him for himself?" "I gave him half a crown, Sir Henry." "Give him a sovereign," was the rejoinder; "he drives very well, and he doesn't drive often."

The Myth of the Doones.

How largely Mr. Blackmore drew upon his imagination for the story of "Lorna Doone" is made clear by F. W. H. Blackwood in his book, "The Good Old Times." There were, in fact, no Doones. The word was simply a local bogey, a modified form of "Dane," a memory of the faroff times when the viking invaders harried the land. "The only vestige of actuality discoverable is a faint tradition that a fugitive from the battle of Sedgemoor, to escape the hangings of Judge Jeffreys, appropriated the ruins of some wretched but in recesses of the Badworthy glen, now 'the Doon valley,' finding there a safe retreat in which he reared a considerable family, which managed to eke out a living by committing petty depredations in the district. The last of the Doones, an old man and his granddaughter, are said to have perished in the snow during the winter of 1800."

Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undertaking business heretofore conducted under the firm name of Reeves & Reeves has been disposed of to Lawrence B. Frye who will endeavor to give the same satisfactory service. All persons knowing themselves indebted to the old firm will please make immediate settlement. 22613-w

HONORED THE MONKEY.

Origin of the Coat of Arms of the Earl of Leinster.

Most of the wild animals are a place in heraldry, and many strange and impossible creatures, such as griffins, dragons and unicorns, have been invented as emblems of daring and valor. But the monkey and the monkey have not been so used, except in one instance, where the monkey has been admitted to the ranks of titled nobility. The story of this adoption is told by Mr. Curtis in his book "One Irish Summer."

On the Leinster coat of arms are three monkeys standing with plain collar and chained; motto, "Crom-a-boo," "To Victory." This is the only coat of arms, I am told, that has ever borne a monkey in the design. It was adopted by John Fitzthomas Fitzgerald in 1316 for romantic reasons.

While this Earl of Leinster was an infant he was in the castle of Woodstock, which is now owned by the Duke of Marlborough. The castle caught fire, in the confusion the child was forgotten, and when the family and servants remembered him and started a search they found the nursery in ruins. But on one of the towers was a gigantic ape, a pet of the family, carefully holding the young earl in his arms. The animal, with extraordinary intelligence, had crawled through the smoke, rescued the baby and carried it to the top of the tower.

When the earl had grown to manhood he discarded the family coat of arms and adopted the monkeys for his crest, and they have been retained to this day. Wherever you find the tomb of a Fitzgerald you will see the monkeys at the feet of the effigy or under the inscription.

SHAVING IS NOT FATAL.

Barbers Nowadays Do Not Use Hammers and Cold Chisels.

In reply to a correspondent who says he yearns to have his flowing beard removed and yet lacks the Spartan firmness of the early martyrs to face the ordeal and makes a pathetic appeal for advice the alfalfa editor of the Emporia Gazette unfeeling remarks:

"The alfalfa editor can offer no advice or encouragement to such a trembling soul. It seems probable that he has worn his whiskers for many years. It is likely that he hasn't purchased a shave for a quarter of a century and therefore is ignorant of the improvements in the art tonsorial which have been achieved in recent years. It is no longer like going through a slaughter house to an open grave to be shaved by an expert barber. In fact, that operation has been so short of its terrors that many eminent citizens consider it a pleasure to visit the barber. It is no longer necessary to strap a patient down in the chair before shaving him; neither is it necessary to administer anaesthetics to his whiskers."

"The man whose only reason for wearing whiskers is the fact that he fears the barber shop will gain little sympathy. If he tries to explain that he cannot shave himself without suffering the agonies of the all fired he will gain less. Such excuses might have had some force long ago when barbers used hammers and cold chisels, but science has made giant strides in recent years, and the country is full of painless barbers, and a clean shave costs no anguish or inconvenience."

MICROSCOPIC MESSAGES.

How a Single Pigeon Might Carry a Whole Library.

For more than 2,000 years carrier pigeons have been used to carry messages when no other means sufficed, and during the siege of Paris, when 833 birds were sent out from the doomed city, one of the birds performed the almost incredible feat of carrying to the outside world on one trip no less than 40,000 messages averaging twenty words each. This was 800,000 words, or the equivalent of five or six average novels.

This marvel was accomplished by means of microscopic photography, the messages being first printed with ordinary type and then photographed and rephotographed until they had been reduced several hundred diameters. The final photographs were taken on films or pellicles of collodion, each of which, about two inches square, contained 50,000 words. A dozen of these films, rolled up in a quill, weighed but one twenty-eighth of an ounce. The messages could, of course, be read with a microscope without the necessity of rephotographing and enlarging. Under favorable conditions and for comparatively short distances pigeons have carried as much as three-quarters of an ounce. Using the photo reduction method, it would therefore be possible for a single bird to carry messages equal in words to no fewer than 120 ordinary volumes.—Harper's Weekly.

Whistler's White Lock.

As long as the name of James McNeill Whistler lives among those who saw him it will recall the famous white lock which stood out so conspicuously from the mass of his black hair. It was, as he used to say himself, "well placed" and was always treated from the harmonious point of view to develop its greatest effect in his appearance. One day when Dorothy Menpes, daughter of the well known English artist Mortimer Menpes, was a baby and was asleep on her pillow Whistler went to see her. A white feather had by chance settled on her head and lay in a spot exactly corresponding with the white lock on his own head. "That child is going to develop into something great," he exclaimed, "for, see, she begins with a feather, just like me!"

CARBOLIC ACID.

Peculiar Effect Pure Alcohol Has on This Irritant Poison.

One of the most frequent irritant poisons used for suicidal purposes is carbolic acid, and a more agonizing death could not be selected. Why any one should select this poison it is hard to understand unless on account of the fact that it is cheap and easily obtainable. This form of poisoning can usually be easily recognized by the odor, which is well known, and by the white burns or marks on the lips and mouth, which are typical of carbolic acid poisoning.

Send for the nearest physician, and in the meantime, as carbolic acid kills quickly, the first aid treatment must be prompt in order to get results. If possible cause the patient to vomit by giving an emetic, such as ipecac or salt and water, a tablespoonful to a pint of warm water. This, however, frequently fails to work on account of the irritated condition of the mucous membrane of the stomach. One of the best chemical antidotes is epsom salt in solution. Another good chemical antidote is alcohol, the only trouble with this remedy being that it cannot be given in a pure form. It has to be diluted with water and for that reason loses its efficacy.

Just exactly why alcohol counteracts the effect of carbolic acid is not known, but if, for instance, carbolic acid is splashed on the hands and they are at once immersed in absolute alcohol there will be no resulting burn.—Dr. H. H. Hartung in National Magazine.

Receiving.

Mr. Closecoyne during his wife's reception.—She gives 'em lights, she gives 'em music she gives 'em food, flowers, champagne, and that's what she calls receiving.—London Tit-Bits

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DESPOUDENT 16-YEAR OLD GIRL LEAPS TO HER DEATH IN THE MONONGAHELA

Disappointed at Refusal of Request to Join Carnival Company, Monessen Miss Jumps From Monssen-Charleroi Bridge into River—and is Drowned—Body is Recovered an Hour Later

HAD LEFT SUNDAY SCHOOL TO PETITION SHOW
MANAGER TO ALLOW HER TO JOIN THE COMPANY

Her requests to join the Hatch Carnival company refused, Sarah Ague, the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Ague, of Schoonmaker avenue and Eleventh street, Monessen, leaped from the Monessen-Charleroi bridge into the river, at North Charleroi, Sunday noon, and was drowned. The body was recovered about an hour later by Jack Anderson, Tate Paxton and James Culp of North Charleroi.

Miss Ague went to Sunday school at the First Presbyterian church Monessen, Sunday morning. She left there about 11 o'clock. She told her brother she was going home to get dinner for the family when they returned from church about 12 o'clock. Instead she started for North Charleroi, where the Hatch Carnival company, after a week's engagement at the opposite end of the bridge was loading up preparatory to going to Canonsburg to show.

Arriving at North Charleroi the girl hunted up E. L. Wyatt, the assistant manager and treasurer of the company. She told him she wanted to join the company if she could travel, and presented her petition for a position. She professed herself not to be particular about the kind of duties required of her, but was anxious that she be allowed to join the company. Although well dressed and showing evidences of refinement she was given little satisfaction. Wyatt informed the girl that the carnival was no place for her and advised her to go home. She rather sorrowfully consented to do this, it is stated and then said she couldn't because she did not have money with which to pay her way back across the bridge. Wyatt gave her five cents and she left.

Not much attention was paid to her but witnesses who saw her from a distance say she went upon the bridge, paid her toll and started at a good pace towards the opposite side of the river. Out directly over the channel of the river she hastily climbed to the railing at the north side of the bridge and jumped off. The fall was over one hundred feet.

No one was near enough to save the girl, even if she had been alive by the time she struck the water, but search for her body was commenced very soon afterward. It was an hour later when it was recovered about 75 feet from the shore, and not far from where she had struck the water.

Deputy Coroner M. T. Crowley was called from Charleroi and took the body to his undertaking rooms, where the grief-stricken father identified it some time later in the afternoon. He said the girl had never been wayward and that to his best knowledge, she had not gone to the carnival at all last week. The family is well known and Mr. Ague is a teacher in the Christian Sunday school. He is a steel worker. While here he made arrangements for having the body removed Sunday evening to the home and later it will be taken to Sharon for interment.

Mr. Wyatt the assistant manager of the carnival made affidavit before Justice of the Peace Scott at North

Charleroi Sunday afternoon to his story of the affair. He said that he had never seen the girl before.

The girl always bore a good reputation at Monessen and her desire to join the carnival, which it is stated amounted to little less than a mania, cannot be accounted for. The Hatch shows wintered in Monessen and it might have been that during that time her mind was fired with stories told of the enjoyment one might have traveling with a carnival, and that she seized her first opportunity to apply for a position.

The carnival company goes to Canonsburg. Coroner James T. Heffran was notified of the affair yesterday afternoon and he may hold an inquest later, at which time Mr. Wyatt of the Carnival company will be called to testify. J. O. Watson of North Charleroi was a witness, it is stated, to the conversation which occurred between the girl and Mr. Wyatt. A number of other Charleroi people will likely be called to testify as to the exact manner in which she is supposed to have committed suicide.

Lectures on "Tuberculosis"

Dr. J. W. Hunter Gives Talk
at St. James A. M. E.
Church

A very interesting and helpful discourse was delivered by Dr. J. W. Hunter in the St. James A. M. E. church, Washington avenue, last evening which was very much appreciated by all present upon the subject of "Tuberculosis; its origin, preventive and how it may be successfully treated and cured in its first stages." Dr. Hunter dwelt upon the necessity of appropriation of means to build suitable Sanitariums for all tuberculosis patients. Fresh air and sunshine, two of the greatest blessings of God, was recommended to all as a preventive of this scourge.

Jesse McCarthy of Homestead, visited friends in Charleroi yesterday.

Miss Katherine Bolin of Pittsburg has been visiting at the home of A. H. Chandler of Crest avenue.

A. H. Chandler has received a span of handsome carriage and saddle horses. They were purchased in St. Louis and shipped by rail from that city.

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CHILD DIES FROM BRONCHIAL TROUBLE

Little Daughter of Prof. J. G. Pentz Expires After Extended Illness

Winifred Clare Pentz, the year-old daughter of Supt. and Mrs. James G. Pentz, died Saturday evening at 5:00 o'clock at the home of her parents, on Meadow avenue, after a two week's illness of pneumonia and complications. Funeral services were held at the home last evening at 6:30 conducted by Rev. J. T. Hackett of the First Presbyterian church and the body was taken to Reynoldsville today for interment. The little girl was the youngest child of Prof. and Mrs. Pentz. Numerous and beautiful floral emblems were sent by the Sunday school and Ladies Aid society of the church and by pupils of the schools.

LOCAL MENTION

Mrs. H. E. Dawson and son Keith, of Beallsville are guests of her parents on Lincoln avenue.

Mrs. C. R. Trew after an extended visit among relatives and friends in the Beallsville vicinity has returned home.

Mrs. L. S. Jack is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Nathan Greenberg spent Sunday in Pittsburg.

William V. Hurley has come from Trenton, N. J., and will remain here for some time.

Mrs. Anna Shepler, of Pittsburg, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Whitlach, of Fallowfield avenue, for several days, returned home today.

Leo A. Shery has resigned his position as foreman of the Mail Publishing Company composing rooms, and left for Pittsburg to accept a position. He is succeeded by Wm. V. Hetrick, of Altoona.

Mrs. S. R. Hawkins, of Washington avenue has been in Appala for a visit with friends.

H. M. Smith has returned from a week's vacation at Dunkard, Greene county.

Reason For His Disgrace.

"He's disgusted with the way the politicians are running things in this town."

"Is that so?"

"Yes; he ran for office and was defeated."—Pittsburg Post.

Nibbles the Wood.

"I'm tired of this old joke about a woman sharpening a pencil with her husband's razor."

"There's nothing in it. No woman sharpens a pencil. She gnaws it to a point."—Pittsburg Post.

Too Near.

"What animal, said the teacher of the class in natural history, 'makes the nearest approach to man?'"

"The flea," timidly ventured the little boy with the curly hair.—Chicago Tribune.

Not His Fault.

Madame—What do you mean by coming home at 3 in the morning? Monsieur—I ash-sure you, m'dear, is not my fault. The cafe has only just shut up.—Illustrated Bits.

To commplace people the extraordinary seems impossible.—De Retz.

Theatre is Union.

William Ingram, machine operator at the Coyle, passed the examination given by the International Theatrical Stage Employee's association, at Pittsburg with a grade of 87.1-2 per cent and by so doing has become a member of the association. He secured a slide which is to be run before every performance at the theatre where he is employed. This makes the Coyle the only union theatre in this immediate vicinity the association of which Ingram is now a member, being affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. The pictures tonight at the Coyle will be "The Panama Canal in 1911," an Edison picture and "Porcella," a Vitagraph. 2321

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WILL GET MAN FOR REVIVAL

Adult Federated Classes Discuss Proposed Religious Campaign

MOVEMENT TO GET SUNDAY

At the regular monthly meeting of the Adult Federated classes in the First Presbyterian church, Sunday afternoon the devotional committee was instructed to confer with the Charleroi Ministerial Association shortly in regard to union evangelistic services which it is proposed to hold this fall. It has been suggested at a previous meeting that an effort be made jointly with Monessen people to secure Rev. "Billy" Sunday, but it was stated he could not be had for this fall. He is the choice of the Adult classes if it can be arranged to get him here.

It was reported that nothing had been heard from the petition sent to the Postoffice department to close the postoffice on Sundays. A new committee was named, one on finance consisting of T. F. Lindsay, Fred Clerihue and A. Manandise. A report of the enrollment was made showing that now there are about 400 male members of adult classes in this district. Rev. O. M. Wilson who lectured last night at the First Christian church, and Rev. F. A. Richards of the Methodist church gave talks.

TALKS ON "THE BIG SWINDLE"

O. M. Wilson Makes
Stirring Talk at
Christian Church

THE VALUE OF THE SOUL

Choosing as his subject, "The Big Swindle," O. M. Wilson, Esq., of Pittsburg, under the auspices of the Baracca class gave an interesting religious lecture Sunday night at the First Christian church last night. Showing oneself as the swindler, and his soul as the thing swindled, Mr. Wilson proved the value of a soul.

With apt illustrations and enjoyable stories, Mr. Wilson told how men deceive themselves in regard to their own souls. He said that if a man lost \$30,000 he would become frantic, sarching to recover the lost wealth, but if he lost 30 cents he would merely give the matter a passing thought and then forget it. This, he said was the way of men, representing his soul as 30 cents, as an invaluable acquisition, instead of the most valuable thing to be looked after. The talk was most instructive and one of the most powerful addresses ever made from a local pulpit.

A good musical program was rendered, preceding Mr. Wilson's address, consisting of congregational songs, songs by the choir, a male choir and the Boy's Brigade choir.

Hurt in Fall.

When the banister against which he was leaning on his porch broke last night, Henry Lausberg, of 206 Lookout avenue fell a distance of about 12 feet and sustained severe injuries to his head. He received medical attention, and it is thought he will be out in a few days.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. W. A. McDermott, of Clarksburg, W. Va., Sunday, May 6, a daughter.

If you like coffee try "Revere." City Grocery. 2321

HOSPITAL WILL BE THING OF PAST WITHIN FEW DAYS

Local Team Wins Honors

Track Team From Charleroi High School Participates in Pittsburg Meet

In the school field meet held by Carnegie Technical school at Pittsburg Saturday, Charleroi High School track team scored one point. This was in the pole vault. Lloyd Carson got third place with a record of 9 feet four inches. Others from Charleroi who participated in the meet and showed up well were Austin Stahlman, Henry Primas, Carl McGuire, Paul Nutt and Lloyd Carson.

CLIFFORD RULONG DIES FROM CROUP

Clifford Rulong aged 4 years, eight months and 16 days, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rulong, of 937 Crest avenue, died Sunday morning at 8:15 o'clock of spasmodic croup, from which he had been suffering for some time. The funeral services will be held at the home this evening at 7 o'clock and the body will be taken to Moundville, W. Va., Tuesday for interment in the Moundville cemetery. The parents and three brothers survive.

His Blunt Critic.

Irving Bacheller was introduced one day by a mutual friend to a western mountaineer.

"Mr. Bacheller," exclaimed the friend to the mountaineer, "is an author of repute in the east."

"Oh, yes," drawled the mountaineer. "I know of him. I was locked up in my cabin here by the snow two winters ago, and I only had two books to read the whole five months, your book, sir," he said, turning to Mr. Bacheller, "and the Bible, and I read them through several times."

"Indeed!" said the author, a smile of satisfaction wreathing his face.

"Yes, sir," continued the old mountaineer, "and I never knew before how interesting the Bible was."—St. Paul Dispatch.

Grenada Was Bought Cheap.

The island of Grenada, in the British West Indies, was bought by the French from the Caribs by a solemn treaty in the middle of the seventeenth century, and the price paid was two bottles of rum. Esau's mess of pottage was a good stroke of business by comparison. The Caribs soon regretted having sold their birthright and vainly tried to get the island back by force. It is now one of England's most prosperous colonies in the West Indies.

The Hangman's Stone.

There is a large boulder lying in a field near Foremark, England, which is known throughout Derbyshire as the "hangman's stone." The exposed portion of the boulder rises about six feet above the surface of the surrounding ground.

Miss Anna Pangburn of West Elizabeth, was a Sunday guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Leonard, of Third street.

DANCING SCHOOL

Bank Hall Wednesday night, Class 7:30, Dancing 8:45. The Tuxedo will be Danced Wednesday Night 229-54

Lot and Building at North Charleroi Sold by Sheriff

EQUIPMENT DISPOSED OF

Institution Will be Closed as Soon as the Patients Are Discharged

Within a few days the Monessen-Charleroi General hospital, which has been existing for the past two years, will have become a thing of the past. Saturday the lot and two story frame dwelling owned by the hospital association was sold under the sheriff's hammer, the Charleroi Savings and Trust company as receiver for T. J. Allen, taking over the property. A few weeks ago the equipment of the hospital was sold by a similar method.

The hospital during its period of existence has been an institution, much patronized, but not supported financially as well as could be desired. The great need of an institution of the kind has been fully demonstrated by the large number of cases treated there, and it is stated there is a likelihood of another hospital association being formed. No more patients will be received and as soon as the present inmates are discharged the hospital will be closed.

Stores Open Nights.

The merchants in town who signed the agreement of the Retail Clerk's Protective Association to close their stores nights except Mondays and Saturdays, received notice from the union that they could keep open nights until further notice. Consequently all will be open hereafter.

Little Disorder On Circus Day

Big Crowd Quiet and Only 15 Arrests Are Made by the Police

Fifteen arrests were made by the police on Saturday, mostly for drunkenness. One fight of minor proportions occurred. Considering the number of people in town the day was particularly quiet. A little disorder occurred last night on the hill when fist-fights, it is stated, followed a drinking bout among foreigners. A hearing will be held tonight.

In a postcard to his cousin, Peter Decker of Fallowfield avenue, William Decker, tuba player with Sousa's band now touring the world, sends greetings to Charleroi friends. The card was addressed from Petronia, South Africa. Mr. Decker visited here last summer, during the Pittsburg engagement of the noted band.

The Keystone Male quartet will sing with Doss James tonight at the Coyle Theatre.

Mrs. Frank Jenkins of Braddock is here to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Holyfield, of Fallowfield avenue.

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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May 8 in American History.
1800—Robert Morris, signer for Pennsylvania and patriot financier, died, born in England 1734.
1802—Volcanic disasters in the islands of Martinique and St. Vincent. The eruption of Mont Pelee destroyed 30,000 lives at St. Pierre.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.
(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 6:50, rises 4:45, moon sets 3:23 a. m.

For County Commissioner
JOHN J. CAIRNS,
ROSCOE, PA.
Primaries, Saturday, June 9, 1911

For Register of Wills,
FRANK B. WICKERHAM
MONONGAHELA, PA.
Primaries June, 1911

WHAT WAS THE CAUSE?
The suicide of the young Monessen girl who presumably committed the rash deed because she could not get an engagement with a traveling carnival company, is one of the inexplicable cases that arise to perplex society. From all accounts the girl had a good home, and was well cared for by loving parents. Yet, in the face of all this she seems to have been willing to sacrifice all for the excitement of travel under conditions which few persons experienced in the ways of the world would care to assume. Failing to accomplish her desires she commits suicide, and thus inflicts a lasting sorrow upon her parents who have given her naught but tender care and attention and were no doubt willing to make all possible sacrifices to contribute to her happiness and welfare.

Perhaps there is not enough attention given by parents to the recreation and amusement of their children, particularly the daughters. In their efforts to protect their children from the snares and evil ways of society, many parents rigidly debar amusement which under rational conditions are innocent and harmless, and which powerfully appeal to a young girl. Dancing is one of these amusements, which under some conditions is the most baneful, while rationally conducted is most innocent and pleasurable. The path of duty is oftentimes so rigid and humdrum that it becomes well nigh unendurable. This, as well as lack of opportunity among young girls of the poorer classes for rational enjoyment is what prompts many of them to yield to the lure of the strange with disastrous endings.

In this individual case the circumstances which led to this melancholy event are unknown, and none of these causes may have applied. The incident, however, should make a profound impression upon all parents who should make every possible effort to learn the moods and temperaments of their children as they approach the age of adolescence. This is the critical age and the display of proper wisdom and care at this time is most important.

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ELECTRIC SPARKS

There is no man so deaf as the one to whom is being addressed a few kind words on peace.

"Billy" Sunday is more to be desired than President in many places.

There are more come-backs in baseball than there are in the ring.

Wasn't there a fellow named Jim Jeffries who figured in an affair at Reno, about a year ago?

Apparently Jack Johnson is more chased than chastened after being let out of jail.

Dogs are not much to blame if they do fall from grace occasionally, with muzzles tied around their noses, to make things hideous.

Feeney as the floor labor leader of the House sounds like to his Charleroi friends.

It is a pity that a man who has the nose bleed fact is duly heralded over the land. It's supposed to be an unusual event.

One of the comforts of home is that there a man can yawn with perfect comfort and abandon.

A shot gun is not a safety weapon but it doesn't cause as many deaths among human beings as the revolver.

Some baseball players display greater ability in posing for their pictures than they do playing ball.

President Taft has a knack of putting down ugly rumors. President Roosevelt had a knack of getting them scattered.

People must admit that it's no cinch being a United States Senator.

What a chance Shakespeare would have to dilate on public matters if he lived today.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

Littered with paper, empty cracker-jack boxes, dodgers and all sorts of debris, Charleroi yesterday presented a typical appearance of "the morning after the night before." Forepaugh & Sells Bros. circus came and departed on schedule time, bringing with it the customary crowds and thrills of pleasure and excitement. The circus ground presented the same appearance as the streets and today the street commissioners and Church League baseball committee are having the streets and grounds restored to their normal conditions.

Although there are many detractors of the circus, both from a moral and economic standpoint, the situation is an immensely popular one with the public. The moral objections, which used to be well founded, because of the rough crowd of employees that the circus usually employed, as well as the gang of crooks and shapers that traveled with the show and received the quasi support of the management has been in the main overcome by the big shows which find it to their advantage as a business proposition to present a clean show and to maintain rigid discipline among its employees. No crooks or gamblers are permitted to operate in connection with any of the shows. The circus here Saturday employs a police force of its own, and on several occasions assisted the local officers in arresting some of their employees who became drunk and disorderly. Good order was maintained about the grounds and there were no complaints of discourtesy on the part of the circus employees to patrons.

In a business way the economic objection in some quarters has weight. The circus certainly does carry a big lot of money out of the community, but on the other hand it disburses and leaves a lot along its trail. Its immense army of employees, stock and animals have to be fed and maintained along the route, and as the most of the provisions consumed are perishable, they have to be contracted for and purchased in each town in which the show exhibits. This requires the outlay of an immense sum of money, which goes to the hay and feed dealers, the milkmen, the bakers, the butchers and a dozen other concerns. It is stated by managers that every big show spends more in the town proper than it takes out. The show makes its money from the outside.

As a matter of fact a circus crowd is not a good buying crowd for staples, nevertheless the outsiders leave a big bunch of their money in town on show day. The circus people do not get it all. The hotels, the restaurants, the ice cream establishments, and the lunch and refresh-

ment stands get a good haul. This adds to the aggregate and helps to even up the deficiency in buying in the regular channels of trade. More money is really taken out of every populous community each season by the vacation habit than a circus takes away. The working man who spends from three to five dollars taking his family to the circus is nothing compared to the citizen who spends from one hundred dollars and upwards in a trip to Atlantic City or elsewhere on his vacation. This annual expenditure usually involves a long period of saving before hand and an equal period of retrenchment afterward. The circus day retrenchment is at the most until the next vacation day, while the economy of the vacation trip usually covers half or three-quarters of the year.

Resolutions.

Whereas, The Great and Supreme Ruler of the Universe has in His infinite wisdom removed from among us our worthy and esteemed brother, Jos. Bura; and

Whereas, The long and intimate relations held with him in the faithful discharge of his duties in this society makes it eminently befitting that we record our appreciation of him, therefore,

Resolved, That the sudden removal of such a life from our midst leaves a vacancy and a shadow that will be deeply realized by the members and friends of this organization.

Resolved, That the wisdom and ability which he has exercised in the aid of our organization by service, contribution and counsel will be held in grateful remembrance.

Resolved, That with sympathy for the bereaved relatives of the deceased we express our hope that even so great a loss to us all may be overruled for good by Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, That these resolutions be spread upon the record of this organization and published in the local papers and a copy forwarded to the bereaved family and the chapter engaged in mourning for a period of thirty days.

L. O. O. M., No. 103,
Charleroi, Pa.

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THE CAMERA OBSCURA

From It Was Evolved Our Modern Photographic Apparatus.

The camera was invented by an Italian named Baptista Porta though it was not at first used for photographing. It was in reality merely a dark room, into which the light was admitted through a little round hole in one side. The rays of light coming from objects outside of this room entered it through this aperture and made a picture on the other side of the room glowing in all the beauty and color of nature itself but rather indistinct and upside down.

This dark room was contrived by Porta about the middle of the sixteenth century. He improved it later by placing in glass lens in the aperture and outside a mirror which reflected the rays of light and reflected them through the lens so that the image upon the opposite wall within was made much brighter, more distinct and in a natural or erect position. This was really the first camera obscura, an invention which is enjoyed to the present day.

Now our modern photographic camera is merely a small camera obscura in its simplest form, carrying a lens at one end and a ground glass screen at the other. It is, however, often much more complicated in its construction.

For Peace Only.

It is well known that the Friends have always been devoted to the principles of peace. As they had a controlling influence in the public affairs of Nantucket, there was no military organization on that island for several generations. How the matter was managed is told by the author of "September Days on Nantucket."

Whenever military companies came to the island for a holiday young women thronged the windows and waved handkerchiefs, but there was no rise of military ambition in the town. Once a coterie of young men formed a training company and sent to Boston for equipments, but their elders compelled them to make the first article of their constitution read, "This company shall be disbanded immediately in case of war."

Running to Catch a Train

When you are in a hurry to catch a train you have not got time to sit in a restaurant and wait half an hour for a little lunch. Still you dislike boarding a train on an empty stomach. People here in Charleroi did not have such a place before and now they learn that they can get a meal on the fly by stopping at the Busy Bee Restaurant any hour day or night. It only takes a pair of minutes to get what you order at the Busy Bee Restaurant and the prices are very low. Specials every day. You are well come. Come in.

Good pigment and pure oil makes good paints. That's Lawrence. J. H. Bowers.

Charleroi Church League

Standing of Clubs

	W.	L.	Pct.
Episcopals	1	0	1000
Lutherans	1	0	1000
First Pres	1	0	1000
W. A. Pres	0	0	000
Baptists	0	0	000
Methodists	0	1	000
Catholics	0	1	000
Christians	0	1	000

Games Next Week

Tuesday	Christians vs. First Presbyterians
Wednesday	Baptists vs. W. A. Pres.
Thursday	Baptists vs. Episcopals
Friday	Methodists vs. Catholics

THE CYCLOPEAN EYE.

It Exists Today in Rudimentary Form in Man's Brain.

The Greeks were, unwittingly, very near an anatomical truth when they ascribed to certain monsters called cyclopes the possession of a single eye placed in the center of their foreheads.

The cyclopean eye exists today in the brains of men in a rudimentary form, for in the pineal gland we find the last vestiges of that which was once a third eye and which looked out into the world, if not from the center of the forehead, at least from very near that point. There is alive today a little creature which would put to shame the one eyed arrogance and pride of Polyphemus and Arges and Brontes and Steropes and all the rest of the single eyed gentry who, in the days of myths and myth makers, inhabited the "fair Sicilian isle."

The animal in question is a small lizard called Colinus. Its well developed third eye is situated in the top of its head and can be easily seen through the modified and transparent scale which serves it as a cornea. Many other lacerulians have this third eye, though it is not so highly organized as it is in the species just mentioned.

A tree lizard which is to be found in the mountains of east Tennessee and Kentucky has its third eye well developed. This little animal is called the "singing scorpion" by the mountaineers. On dissection the third eye will be found lying beneath the skin. It has a lens, retina and optic nerve—New York Herald.

THE MIRROR TONIC.

When a Peek Into a Hand Glass May Help a Patient.

The looking glass, whether a plus or minus quantity, plays a more important part in the sickroom than most nurses and physicians give it credit for.

"All things considered I think it a good plan to give a sick person a chance to look at himself occasionally," said a prominent doctor recently. "Of course the indulgence must be granted with discretion. If a patient is really looking seedy a turn at the looking glass is equivalent to signing his death warrant, but if taken at a time when braced up by some stimulant or a natural ebullition of vitality for a few minutes of communion with his own visage beats any tonic I can prescribe. It thrills the patient with new hope. It makes him feel that he isn't quite so far gone as he has thought and that possibly a fight for life is, after all, worth while. Being thus sensitive, a persistent withholding of a mirror convinces the patient that he must be too horrible for contemplation and he promptly decides that the best thing for him to do is to give up the ghost and get out of the way."

"That is one of the mistakes hospitals were apt to make up to a few years ago. When I was a young fellow getting my first practice after graduation I served on the staff of several hospitals and in all especially in the free wards, those aids to vanity were strictly forbidden."—Cleveland Plain Dealer

With a Grain of Salt.

The earliest record of the saying "with a grain of salt" dates back to the year 63 B. C., when the great Pompey entered the palace of Mithridates and discovered among his private papers the description of an antidote against poisons of all sorts, which was composed of pounded herbs. These, according to the recipe, were to be taken with a grain of salt. Whether this was meant seriously or as a warning sarcasm is not known, but thenceforth it became the custom to say that doubtful preparations should be taken with a grain of salt. From this the meaning got transferred to sayings of doubtful truth. "Attic salt" was a Greek synonym for wit or penetration, and the Latin word "sal" had somewhat of the same meaning. It is thus easy to see how the saying "tune grano salis" could have come to mean the necessity of accepting doubtful or suspicious statements "with a grain of salt."

A Premium on Marriage.

In Belgium they place a premium on marriage by allowing a married man two votes at an election as against the single man's one. In Madagascar one must be a father or pay for the default. If a man is unmarried or childless at the age of twenty-five he must contribute annually \$3.75 to the support of the state, and each woman who has remained single or is childless at twenty-four is taxed \$1.50 per year.

Woman's World

Kansas Woman Teaches Journalism in College.



MISS SADIE MOSSLER.

Miss Sadie Mossler has been added to the staff of the Kansas Agricultural college at Manhattan as an instructor in the department of industrial journalism. She was formerly society editor of the Lawrence (Kan.) Journal and is the first woman in the United States to teach journalism.

Miss Mossler is first assistant to Charles J. Dillon, formerly of the Kansas City Star, who is head of the recently created department and editor of the Industrialist, a paper for farmers, which is issued by the department.

Miss Mossler is one of the best known newspaper women in Kansas and has been in charge of the Journal when its editor, J. L. Brady, has been attending to his duties as state senator. The journalism school arranges papers and to teach them to write intelligently of farm affairs. Miss Mossler has charge of a class in copy editing and soon is to begin a course in lectures.

"Time and again," says Miss Mossler, "when I was in charge of the Journal I was confronted by the problem, that we were not interesting our farmer subscribers. I knew that with a six or eight page paper that was circulating largely among farmers there was no good excuse for such a condition. This department is teaching the students how to write in an interesting manner about the farm and everything that pertains to it, and we hope the result will be that Kansas newspapers ultimately will cover news of interest to farmers as well as they do the news of their own town."

"One of our students, who is giving great promise, is going to have a farm diary, a unique idea, but which should be a success. Above all we are trying to teach them to write good English."

Hatpin Nuisance.

It remains. It makes one blush. What is the matter with some women?

The safety of one's neighbor is sure to be sacred. One may risk one's own life if one desires to.

But only those of the lower orders would risk hurting others. Usually it happens that those who thus offend are criminally thoughtless and selfish.

Occasionally a woman whose whole life is devoted to kind and generous acts thus thoughtlessly errs. Hatpins are easily cut off and sharpened, and they should be the right length. Too long points are as dangerous as they are ugly.

As for these protruding points, which are a criminal menace, they are as ridiculous as would be a trailing petticoat with a skirt of walking length.

Molokai and the Lepers.

The general idea of the leper settlement on the island of Molokai is that a white man in Harper's Weekly. Instead of the entire island being used for the leper colony the settlement comprises only eight square miles out of a total area of 261 square miles. It occupies a tongue of land on the northern side of Molokai. The north east and west shores of this spit are washed by the Pacific while on the south side rise precipitous cliffs of from 1,000 to 4,000 feet, which make the isolation seem even more unrelenting than the beautiful deep blue waters of the sea over could. The most difficult and dangerous trail, constantly manned by government guards, leads across, if it were ever contemplated, by the land side.

Stupid Husband of a Noted Singer. Catalina's husband, a handsome Frenchman, was even more unintelligent than his wife—he was stupid.

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That follow her round all day
Some are yellow, and one is black,
And two are a pretty gray
And at every step she takes
Is shining between the trees
Our hen picks out a shady spot
And calls to her cuddle-de-wees
And there in the shadow beneath the trees
They run to her gladly, the cuddle-de-wees
—St. Nicholas.

Names of Canadian Provinces.

Of course we all know that Nova Scotia is the Latin for New Scotland. The name was given by the Earl of Stirling's Scottish colony.
New Brunswick was so named in 1784 after the family of the reigning sovereign of Great Britain, the house of Brunswick.
Prince Edward Island was named after Edward, duke of Kent.
Quebec is from Kebec, a narrowing. This is an Indian word and was given to the site of the first French settlement because the St. Lawrence river narrows there. The province took its name from the leading settlement.
Ontario is from the Indian Onontario, meaning beautiful lake. The province thus gets its name from one of its principal lakes.
Manitoba is also of Indian derivation. Manitou means the passing of the Great Spirit.
Saskatchewan is an Indian word in the Cree dialect meaning swiftly flowing water.
Alberta was named after the sixth daughter of Queen Victoria, wife of the Duke of Argyll, Louise Caroline Alberta.
British Columbia honors Columbus, the discoverer of America, and also the empire to which it belongs—Herald.

Lighting the Candle.

"I'll bet you that I can light this candle," said George to Bobby. "Without touching the wick."
"Go ahead and prove it," said Bobby shortly.

Since the coin episode he never disputed the possibility of a thing with George.

George lighted the candle and let it burn until the snuff was quite long.

Then he quickly blew it out. A thin thread of smoke rose. To this George quickly applied a lighted match.

Bobby started in amazement, for the flame ran down the smoke and rekindled the candle.

This is a simple experiment. If you try it you will be surprised at the distance from the candle you can hold the light and yet have the experiment succeed. It is a pretty and fantastic trick.

An Egg Race.

On either side of the room six large hard-boiled colored eggs are placed in a line at intervals of about a foot. At the far end of each line is a large open basket or a coarsely woven nest. Two leaders are chosen, who, in turn, choose sides. A player from each side is given a large wooden spoon and stands at the near end of his line. At a signal each starts to spoon up the eggs one at a time, carrying them to the nest. A list of the winners on each side is kept, and at the end of the game the side which has the greater number is the winner. Small individual prizes may be given to all the players on the victorious side—for example, tiny nests filled with egg-bonbons.

The Bottle Conjurer.

State to the company that it was proved some years ago at a theater that to crawl into a quart bottle was an impossibility, but the rapid progress made by the march of intellect in these enlightened times has proved that any person may crawl into a pint bottle as easily as into his bed. Having thus prefaced your intentions, get a pint bottle and place it in the middle of the room, then go outside the door and, creeping into the room upon all fours, say, "Ladies and gentlemen, this is crawling in to the pint bottle."

Arbor Day.

Grow thou and flourish well,
Ever the glad day.
Of this glad day,
Long may thy branches raise
To heaven our grateful praise!
Waft them on sunlight rays
To God away.
"Let music swell the breeze
And ring from all the trees
On this glad day—
Bless them each step at hand
O'er all our happy land.
Teach them thy love's command,
Great God, we pray.
Deep in the earth today
Safely thy roots we lay,
Tree of thy love,
Grow thou and flourish long,
Ever our grateful song
Shall its glad notes prolong
To God above."

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Good form

Duties of a Parlor Maid.

A parlor maid is expected to take charge of the parlors and dining room and lower halls of a house only. There is apt to be a butler or a waitress in the establishments where a parlor maid is kept, so the duties of waiting on the table do not come within her province.

She is always neatly clad in the morning in a plain light gingham dress, with an apron with shoulder straps, and bib and wears a cap—in the afternoon she wears a black dress with apron, collar, cuffs and cap. After she rises in the morning she dusts the parlors, halls and all the rooms on the lower floor. When she has eaten breakfast she begins the regular work, which is planned a little differently for each household.

On one morning she sweeps the parlor, on another the library, and so on during the week. In the afternoon the maid must be ready to open the front door if the butler is dressing or occupied with some afternoon work. She may bring in afternoon tea, and in a family where there are children she very often gets their supper and waits on them in their own dining room or at their especial table.

If there is a governess in the family it is the duty of the parlor maid to see that her meals are properly served. In a small establishment a parlor maid is usually a waitress also. She then has charge of the dining room, and parlors and all of the lower part of the house, but does nothing upstairs. She opens the front door and is expected to be always neatly dressed and immaculate, so she has her laundry work done for her and has no heavy, rough work to do. She is not expected to wash windows or clean the sidewalks and front steps.

Dressing by System.

One of the best dressed women in Paris has a rule that she follows in choosing her clothes which has made her wardrobe the success that it is. Perhaps some girl who is planning her spring outfit may profit by her suggestions.

Says the clever Frenchwoman: "I buy only four new gowns a year. I get one in the spring, one in the summer, another in the autumn and the last in the winter. In these gowns, too, I specialize. I let each represent a class. One year I will get a good tailored suit, an evening dress, a fine negligee, perhaps, and so on. Another year I will choose a morning gown, an afternoon frock, a dance dress, and, of course, if necessary, have some remodeling done to last year's wardrobes. In this way I have a good toilet for every occasion."

"Then I spend the rest of my allowance on the smartest and best neckwear, veils, gloves, stockings and other little things that I can afford. These dress et ceteras, if they are dainty and smart, count more for effect in the long run than five dresses without them. If you can't have both get plain or conservative suits and dresses and add chic and vary their monotony with little things. Hats, veils, neck pieces and gloves have a lot to do with the smartness of one's appearance. An expensive suit with the wrong hat doesn't look half so well as a less costly suit with the right hat."

When Husband Comes.

Greet him with a smile when he comes home tired out from his day's work.

Kiss and pet him at other times than when you desire a new dress or more pin money.

Give him more than one look in the closet and the smallest drawer in the dresser for his very own.

Don't knock his stories just because he has practiced them on you before he springs them on company.

Refrain from hiding his belongings. Leave them in the place where he expects to find them.

Sympathize with him when things have gone wrong all day and he comes home blue.

Don't tell him how becomingly Mrs. B. is gowned when he is striving in every way he knows how to keep his family and his credit good.

If he scrapes clear ashes on the floor don't act as though he has committed a mortal sin. They keep the moths out of the carpet.

A "Friendly Match."

I speak of a "friendly match," not at all forgetting that dictum of the old Scot to whom his opponent, breaking some trivial rule, said, "I suppose you won't claim that in a friendly match?" "Friendly match" was the reply. "There's no such thing at golf!"—London Telegraph.

Much is done in the name of friendship; so are many.—Exchange.

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Beallsville

Mrs. Mahlon Linton is visiting in Pittsburgh.

Miss Lorena Linton was a Bentleyville visitor recently.

L. N. Young was a business caller at Jefferson.

I. H. Young of Clarksville was in town lately.

Miss Cordelia Keys is visiting Mrs. R. M. Odert.

Mrs. Jacob Hickman visited Washington relatives this week.

The remains of Geo. L. Hill were interred here Saturday.

James McDonough was a business caller at Brazzell.

Nickelo Gupisilo was crushed to death at Acme last week.

Joseph Matthews has moved to Monongahela.

L. V. Martindell of Deemston was in town Monday.

R. Edward Knarr has been at Scenery Hill on business.

May 14 will be observed as Mother's Day.

The anniversary of the Epworth League will be observed May 14.

Children's Day will be observed May 14.

Mrs. J. C. Barnard of Maiden street is ill at her home.

Fred N. Power has moved to Deemston.

L. A. McDonough was at Washington Saturday.

Mrs. Mary Hedge, of Henry, Ill., is an acquaintance visitor.

Miss Charlotte Waller is in town a few days.

Mrs. Elizabeth Arnold has returned to Millsboro.

Harve Hill of West Bethlehem, was a business caller recently.

Joseph Barnes was at Bentleyville on business.

Curt Stathers is working for J. A. Barnes.

Anna Craven was a Charleroi caller last week.

Jefferson Davis and His Nerves.

Jefferson Davis shrank from the sight of every form of suffering, even in imagination. When "Babes in the Wood" was first read to him, a grown man, in time of illness, he would not endure the horror of it. His sympathy with the oppressed was almost abnormal, "so that," says Mrs. Davis, "it was a difficult matter to keep order with children and servants." All this shows that he was nervous, sensitive, which is a terrible handicap to a leader of men. He suffered always from nervous dyspepsia and neuralgia and came home from his office fasting, a mere mass of throbbing nerves and perfectly exhausted. He was keenly susceptible to the atmosphere about him, especially to the moods of people, "abnormally sensitive to disapproval. Even a child's disapproval discomposed him." And Mrs. Davis admits that this sensitiveness and acute feeling of being misjudged made him reserved and unapproachable. It made him touchy as to his dignity, and there are stories of his cherishing a grudge for some insignificant or imagined slight and punishing the author of it—Gama Mel Bradford Jr. in Atlantic.

Irving and His Money.

John Gave, the English writer, said that one of the failings charged to Irving's account was that of extravagance—that he did not know the value of money. It is quite true he did not know the value of money for himself but he knew its value to others. He knew its value to the poor and helpless, and to these he gave with a lavish hand.

Once, not long before his death, playing a three nights' engagement in an unpretentious and old town, his habit was to drive nightly to the theater (a very short distance from his hotel) in the same disappiated fly. The fare was a shilling. The conveyance was shabby, the driver old, poor and worn out. At the conclusion of the engagement, on entering his hotel, Irving said to the landlady, "Have you paid the cabman?" "Yes, Sir Henry." "What did you give him for himself?" "I gave him half a crown, Sir Henry." "Give him a sovereign," was the rejoinder; "he drives very well, and he doesn't drive often."

The Myth of the Doones.

How largely Mr. Blackmore drew upon his imagination for the story of "Lorna Doone" is made clear by F. W. Hackwood in his book, "The Good Old Times." There were, in fact, no Doones. The word was simply a local bogey, a modified form of "Dane," a memory of the faroff times when the Viking invaders barred the land. The only vestige of actuality discoverable is a faint tradition that a fugitive from the battle of Sedgemoor, to escape the hangings of Judge Jeffreys, appropriated the ruins of some wretched huts in recesses of the Badworthy glen, now "the Doon valley," finding there a safe retreat in which he reared a considerable family, which managed to eke out a living by committing petty depredations in the district. The last of the Doones, an old man and his granddaughter, are said to have perished in the snow during the winter of 1800.

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HONORED THE MONKEY.

Origin of the Coat of Arms of the Earl of Leinster.

Most of the wild animals share a place in heraldry, and many strange and impossible creatures, such as griffins, dragons and unicorns, have been invented as emblems of daring and valor. But the monkey and the monkey have not been so used, except in one instance, where the monkey has been admitted to the ranks of titled nobility. The story of this adoption is told by Mr. Curtis in his book "One Irish Summer."

On the Leinster coat of arms are three monkeys standing with plain collar and chained; motto, "Crom-a-boe," "To Victory." This is the only coat of arms, I am told, that has ever borne a monkey in the design. It was adopted by John Fitzthomas Fitzgerald in 1310 for romantic reasons.

While this Earl of Leinster was an infant he was in the castle of Woodstock, which is now owned by the Duke of Marlborough. The castle caught fire in the confusion the child was forgotten, and when the family and servants remembered him and started a search they found the nursery in ruins. But on one of the towers was a gigantic ape, a pet of the earl in his arms. The animal with extraordinary intelligence, had crawled through the smoke rescued the baby and carried it to the top of the tower.

When the earl had grown to manhood he discarded the family coat of arms and adopted the monkeys for his crest, and they have been retained to this day. Wherever you find the tomb of a Fitzgerald you will see the monkeys at the feet of the effigy or under the inscription.

SHAVING IS NOT FATAL.

Barbers Nowadays Do Not Use Hammers and Cold Chisels.

In reply to a correspondent who says he yearns to have his flowing beard removed and yet lacks the Spartan firmness of the early martirs to face the ordeal and makes a pathetic appeal for advice the alfalfa editor of the Emporia Gazette unfeeling remarks:

"The alfalfa editor can offer to do advice or encouragement to such a trembling soul. It seems probable that he has worn his whiskers for many years. It is likely that he hasn't purchased a shave for a quarter of a century and therefore is ignorant of the improvements in the art tonsorial which have been achieved in recent years. It is no longer like going through a slaughter house to an open grave to be shaved by an expert barber. In fact, that operation has been so short of the horrors that many eminent citizens consider it a pleasure to visit the barber. It is no longer necessary to strap a patient down in the chair before shaving him; neither is it necessary to administer anaesthetics to his whiskers. The man whose only reason for wearing whiskers is the fact that he fears the barber shop will gain little sympathy. If he tries to explain that he cannot shave himself without suffering the agonies of the old fired he will gain less. Such excuses might have had some force long ago, when barbers used hammers and cold chisels, but science has made giant strides in recent years, and the country is full of painless barbers, and a clean shave costs no anguish or inconvenience."

MICROSCOPIC MESSAGES.

How a Single Pigeon Might Carry a Whole Library.

For more than 2,000 years carrier pigeons have been used to carry messages when no other means sufficed, and during the siege of Paris, when 863 birds were sent out from the doomed city, one of the birds performed the almost incredible feat of carrying to the outside world on one trip no less than 40,000 messages averaging twenty words each. This was \$60,000 worth, or the equivalent of five or six average novels.

This marvel was accomplished by means of microscopic photography, the messages being first printed with ordinary type and then photographed and rephotographed until they had been reduced several hundred diameters. The final photographs were taken on films or pellicles of collodion, each of which, about two inches square, contained 50,000 words. A dozen of these films, rolled up in a quill, weighed but one twenty-eighth of an ounce. The messages could, of course, be read with a microscope without the necessity of rephotographing and enlarging. Under favorable conditions and for comparatively short distances pigeons have carried as much as three-quarters of an ounce. Using the photo reduction method, it would therefore be possible for a single bird to carry messages equal in words to no fewer than 120 ordinary volumes—Harpers Weekly.

Whistler's White Lock.

As long as the name of James McNeill Whistler lives among those who saw him it will recall the famous white lock which stood out so conspicuously from the mass of his black hair. It was, as he used to say himself, "well placed" and was always treated from the harmonious point of view to develop its greatest effect in his appearance. One day when Dorothy, daughter of the well known English artist Mortimer Menpes, was a baby and was asleep on her pillow Whistler went to see her. A white feather had by chance settled on her head and lay in a spot exactly corresponding with the white lock on his own head. "That child is going to develop into something great," he exclaimed, "for see, she begins with a feather, just like me!"

CARBOLIC ACID.

Peculiar Effect Pure Alcohol Has on This Irritant Poison.

One of the most frequent irritant poisons used for medicinal purposes is carbolic acid, and a more agonizing death could not be selected. Why any one should select this poison it is hard to understand unless on account of the fact that it is cheap and easily obtainable. This form of poisoning can usually be easily recognized by the odor, which is well known, and by the white burns or marks on the lips and mouth, which are typical of carbolic acid poisoning.

Send for the nearest physician, and in the meantime, as carbolic acid kills quickly, the first aid treatment must be prompt in order to get results. If possible cause the patient to vomit by giving an emetic, such as ipecac or salt and water, a tablespoonful to a pint of warm water. This, however, frequently fails to work on account of the irritated condition of the mucous membrane of the stomach. One of the best chemical antidotes is epsom salt in solution. Another good chemical antidote is alcohol, the only trouble with this remedy being that it cannot be given in a pure form. It has to be diluted with water and for medicinal uses is best.

Just exactly why alcohol counteracts the effect of carbolic acid is not known, but if, for instance, carbolic acid is splashed on the hands and there are at once immersed in absolute alcohol there will be no resulting burn.—Dr. H. H. Hartung in National Magazine.

Receiving.

Mr. Close once during his wife's reception—She gives 'em lights, she gives 'em champagne, and that's what she calls receiving.—London Th Birs

Prepared.

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REFRIGERATORS.

Evolution of the idea of an icebox on wheels.

The refrigerator car was never invented, but just "fixed up." It was the idea of a New England railway man who needed some such thing as far back as 1853.

In June of that year the first refrigerator car was made in the shops of the Boston and Maine Railroad. The car was built for the fact that the farmers near Ogdensburg, who made a great deal of butter, were unable to ship it except in cold weather.

A railroad man named Wilder, at that time in charge of the through freight, thought it would be a good idea to rig up "an icebox on wheels," and he told this to the president of the road, who gave orders that the master mechanic should plan several of them.

At this time farmers were receiving only 12 cents a pound for their butter. The lead-car was loaded with eight tons of it, sent through and allowed to stand in Boston till the product was sold. It brought 17 cents a pound after paying all expenses and commissions, and the plan was voted a success. In a short time the road had a regular service on, using a number of cars, and the idea spread rapidly.

Wilder did not patent his idea, but allowed it to be used by whoever so desired.—St. Louis Republic.

ODD VOLUMES.

They Are Members of a Unique Dining Club in London.

One of the most unique dining clubs in London is that known as the Sette of Odd Volumes, which was founded in 1873 and meets once a month from October to June. It consists of twenty-one volumes, or members, that be the number of the volumes of the Variorum Shakespeare published in 1821. There are also twenty-one supplementary members, who succeed to full membership as vacancies occur. The twenty-one rules of the club include the following:

Any Odd Volume losing his temper and failing to recover it shall be fined by the president the sum of 5 shillings. Discussions about anthropology, religion and politics shall be put down by the president.

Any Odd Volume giving to another Odd Volume unasked advice shall be fined by the president.

No Odd Volume shall talk unasked on any subject he understands.

No Odd Volume's speech shall last longer than three minutes. If, however, the inspired Odd Volume has any more to say he may proceed until his voice is drowned in the general applause.

Volumes have to address each other as "Your Oddship."—Argonaut.

The Major's Tip.

When Major Banks was the best known figure around the race tracks of Cincinnati and the middle west he was extremely generous in tipping off his friends to "sure winners." One man who enjoyed his confidence and played the horses according to the major's advice lost all his ready money and finally succeeded in reducing himself to the point where he had to sell out his grocery business.

One afternoon, following the placing of his last ten dollar note as the major advised, he caught Banks by the arm and said tragically:

"Major, you've made me lose my last cent. I'm a pauper, and my wife and family are practically starving. I am now about to go down to the river and drown myself. It's all over for me."

"All right," answered Banks, "but in the event you change your mind meet me here at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. I think I'll have something good for you."—Exchange.

Kongo Tattooing.

In the Kong colonies of Belgium both men and women are tattooed according to their status in society. A woman of high caste will have a design not unlike a zouave jacket worked upon her back, and it would seem that the native is as content with this mode of covering as if it were a substitute for clothing. By injecting the juice of certain herbs the scars left by the tattooing process retain a swollen appearance, giving the effect of bas-relief work. The thorns of the acacia are generally used as a needle, while a certain black clay is used as a coloring medium.

Classified.

Was there ever a better example of the witty and concise form of expression than the answer of the grim man who, when asked about the character of a neighbor, sententiously replied:

"Mister, I don't know very much about him, but my impression is he'd make a first class stranger."—Exchange.

Frigid.

Nell—That Miss Copleigh is an awfully cold sort of girl. Belle—Mercy, yes. Why, she's so frigid that whenever she goes on rainy days it snows. —Boston Transcript.

Irish Wit.

"I never give alms to a stranger," said old Shyster to a poor Irishwoman. "Sure, then, your honor will never relieve an angel," was the reply.—Judge.

Condemned Unheard.

From a notice in a Cornish church: "The preacher for next Sunday will be found hanging in the church porch on Saturday."—London Punch.

Cleanse the fountain if you would purify the streams.—Alcott.

ARTISTS' EMBLEMS.

In Whistler's Butterfly Could Be Found the Monogram J. W.

The mystic emblem or device of a sort of Whistlerized butterfly was adopted in the sixties by the eccentric genius James Abbott Whistler, who changed his name later to James McNeill Whistler.

Close study will reveal that this peculiar scroll is really a monogram of J. W. The earliest of the etchings to bear the butterfly is "Chelsea Wharf" (1883), but many paintings and etchings after that date are signed "Whistler."

Artists have sometimes signed their pictures in some distinct form instead of their names. It generally was done when the name might suggest some emblem or symbol.

Thus Hieronymus Cock demarked two fighting cocks on his panels; Mariotto Albertinelli signed a cross with two interlaced rings, referring to the sacerdotal duties to which at one time of his life he devoted himself; Martin Rota, a wheel; Pieter de Ryag, a ring with a diamond; Giovanni Dossi, a bone; Del Mazo Martinez, a hammer; Lionello Spada, a sword.

Sometimes caprice dictated the selection, as when Jacopo de Barbari used the caduceus, or Mercury rod; Hendrik de Bles an owl; Lucas Cranach a crowned serpent; Cornelius Engelbrechtsen a peculiar device resembling a weather vane and Hans Holbein a skull.

A Wet Blanket.

Peckem—You are not married yet, are you? Youngbach—No, but I'm engaged, and that's as good as being married. Peckem—It's a whole lot better, if only you knew.—London Answers.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE CHARLEROI SAVINGS AND TRUST CO. OF CHARLEROI, FIFTH ST., OF WASHINGTON COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS APRIL 29TH 1911.

RESOURCES	
Cash, Specie and Notes	\$10,733.40
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	\$24,118.61
Nickels and Cents	191.07
Checks and Cash Items	1,672.90
Commercial Paper Purchased viz:	
Upon two or more names	184,581.54
Loans upon call with collateral	\$1,154.00
Time loans with collateral	14,900.00
Loans secured by bonds and mortgages	4,556.45
Loans without collateral	28,128.61
Investment securities owned exclusive of reserve bonds, viz:	
Bonds, Stocks, etc.	\$3,262.50
Mortgages and judgments of record	128,560.94
Office Building and Lot	181,239.44
Other Real Estate	58,881.70
Furniture and fixtures	12,281.81
Overdrafts	2,658.92
Total	\$550,458.08

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	125,000.00
Surplus Fund	20,000.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	12,600.07
Deposits subject to check (Exclusive of Trust Funds)	\$191,540.75
Time Certificates of Deposit	\$5,228.29
Deposits, saving fund	216,890.87
Due to the Commonwealth	10,000.00
Total	\$550,458.08

Total Trust fund—\$ 23,774.74

CORPORATE TRUSTS
Total amount (i. e. face value) of Trusts under deeds of trust or mortgages executed by Corporations to the Company's Trustee secure issues of corporate bonds, including Equipment Trusts—225,000.00
State or Pennsylvania, County of Washington, L. E. W. Hastings Asst. Treasurer of the above named Company do solemnly swear that the above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
(Signed) E. W. Hastings Asst. Treasurer Subscribed and sworn to before me this fifth day of May 1911
Minnie B. Richardson Notary Public
My commission expires Feb. 14, 1913
Correct—Attest:
R. C. MOUNTSER
J. R. KEMP
DAVID M. McCLOSKEY } Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF THE BANK OF CHARLEROI, OF Charleroi, Corner Fallowfield Avenue and 5th Street, of Washington County, Pennsylvania, at the close of business April 29th 1911.

RESOURCES	
Reserve Fund:	
Cash, Specie and Notes	\$ 43,497.00
Due from Approved Reserve Agents	\$12,228.37
Nickels and Cents	227.78
Checks and cash items	3,580.58
Due from Banks and Trust Cos. not reserve	5,190.14
Bills discounted	34,104.88
Time loans with collateral	28,199.00
Loans on call with collateral	17,565.51
Loans on call upon one name	70,888.41
Loans on call upon two or more names	183,041.88
Loans secured by bonds and mortgage	108,556.02
Investment securities owned exclusive of reserve bonds, viz:	
Bonds, Stocks, etc.	\$196,128.01
Mortgages and judgments of record	350,410.54
Office Building and Lot	35,000.00
Other Real Estate	6,666.66
Miscellaneous assets	1,713.10
Total	\$1,477,235.39

LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus Fund	212,500.00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	14,400.30
Individual deposits subject to check	\$ 246,976.57
Time Certificates of Deposit	228,000.14
Saving Fund Deposits	588,887.08
Certified Checks	40.00
Cashier's Checks outstanding	6,310.45
Due to the Commonwealth	10,000.00
Total	\$1,477,235.39

State of Pennsylvania, County of Washington, L. KERFOOT W. DALY Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

(Signed) KERFOOT W. DALY, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 8th day of May, 1911.

(Signed) MINNIE B. RICHARDSON, Notary Public.

My commission expires Feb. 14th, 1913.

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